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AND OKANAGAN ORCHARDIST

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NUMBER 18

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STAPLE AND FANCY CHINA

The Quality of the Ware has never been so fine nor the decorations so exquisite.

OUR PRICES

compare favourably with those of the eastern dealer and very much more reasonable
than we have hitherto been able to offer our customers in the past.
An invitation is extended to all to carefully inspect our stock and compare our prices
with any others.

Space will not permit of us going
into detail, but we might mention in
particular the
NIPON. Hand painted forest scenes
which are very nice and are admired
by all. Only a limited number of
pieces left.

Another dainty pattern is the OLD
IVORY Rose Pattern, which we have
in plates, teas, celery and spoon trays,
salad and fruit dishes, etc.

The German homestead pattern
appeals to many and we are disposing
of many pieces to the admirers of the
beautiful.

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Tea Sets in Fancy Patterns, Choco-
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ter Plates, Cups and Saucers (very
cheap), Creams and Sugars (many
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all pocket books.

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New Raisins
New Peels (lemon, orange and citron)
New Dates
New Almonds
New Crystallized Fruits

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ORDER
OFTEN

WESTBANK NOTES

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Mr. W. M. Collins visited Kelowna
on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Featherstonhaugh
are now residing on the townsite.

Mr. C. Davidson was a visitor to
Kelowna on Wednesday.

It is reported that Mr. W. L.
D'Aeth has sold several lots on the
townsite within the last few days.

The school house now possesses an
organ, and the various religious ser-
vices are much brightened thereby.

Mr. J. Gellatly is now almost com-
pletely recovered from his recent ac-
cident.

Rev. H. A. Solly, of Summerland,
held the usual monthly Anglican ser-
vice in the school house on Sunday
afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Lewis, Presbyterian min-
ister at Peachland, conducted ser-
vices in the school house on Sunday
morning.

Miss Elliott has her hands full
these days, there being a large num-
ber of pupils of all ages in attend-
ance at the school.

A good many deer hunting trips
are being taken these days, but ac-
cording to reports deer are not very
plentiful.

Mr. C. P. Dumas shipped several
boxes of his Wagner apples to the
Old Country in the car despatched
by the Vernon Board of Trade re-
cently.

It is reported that two more of
our few remaining eligible bachelors
are engaged to be married, and we
await further developments with in-
terest.

Messrs. Hitchner Bros. have pro-
duced an extremely well gotten-up
booklet setting forth the advantages
of this favoured district, both for
orchardists and visitors, and will be
pleased to supply same on applica-
tion.

The S.S. "Okanagan" now calls
daily at our landing, which is no
longer styled Hall's Landing, but, re-
presentations having been made in
the proper quarter, is now called
most properly Westbank, as its pre-
vious designation was always mis-
leading.

We recently had the pleasure of
inspecting the property of Mr. H.
Mandeville. This gentleman intends
going in largely for raising chickens,
and has built extensive houses on
the most approved scientific plans.
He will specialize in pure-bred White
and Brown Leghorns, White Wyand-
ottes and Plymouth Rocks.

A meeting was held at the Lake
View Hotel, on the 18th inst., to
discuss various points of interest to
residents here. The meeting was well
attended and it was proposed to send
a delegate to Victoria to urge upon
the government the necessity of es-
tablishing an adequate water system
for this growing settlement, this be-
ing a most pressing need, as the land
is here and only needs an irrigation
system to be installed to make this
one of the most thriving and pro-
ductive districts on the lake. A pro-
position was put before the meeting
for the formation of an organization
to be known as the Westbank Fruit
Growers Association, to look after the
interests of residents here, on this
and kindred questions, and another
meeting will be held shortly, when
officers will be appointed and any fur-
ther business transacted.

Fifteen girls were burned to death
in a holocaust in a paper box factory
at Newark, N. J., on the 26th ult. A
few others are missing, and it is
feared they have also perished.

The British House of Lords have
ignored the famous Veto Bill, the
Conservative majority being support-
ed by a number of Liberal peers.

SEED DISTRIBUTION

By the Dominion Government

By instruction of the Hon. Minister
of Agriculture, a distribution is be-
ing made this season of samples of
superior sorts of grain and potatoes
to Canadian farmers for the improve-
ment of seed. The stock for distri-
bution has been secured mainly from
the Experimental Farms at Indian
Head, Sask.; Brandon, Man.; and Or-
tawa, Ont. The samples consist of
oats, spring wheat, barley, field peas,
Indian corn (for ensilage only), and
potatoes. The quantity of oats sent
is 4 lbs., and of wheat or barley 5
lbs., sufficient in each case to sow
one-twentieth of an acre. The sam-
ples of Indian corn, peas and potatoes
weigh 3 lbs. each. A quantity of each
of the following varieties has been
secured for distribution—

Oats.—Banner, Abundance, Danish
Island, Wide-Awake, Thousand Dol-
lar, Improved Ligowo—all white var-
ieties.

Wheat.—Red varieties: Marquis and
Early Red Fife (early beardless sorts
of high baking strength), Red Fife
(beardless), Preston and Huron (early
bearded). White varieties: White
Fife (beardless), Bobs (early bearded).

Barley.—Six-rowed: Mensury and
Manchurian (a selection from Men-
sury). Two-rowed: Standwell and
Invincible.

Field Peas.—Arthur and Golden
Vine.

Indian Corn (for ensilage).—Early
sorts—Angel of Midnight, Compton's
Early and Longfellow. Later var-
ieties—Selected Leaming, Early Masto-
don, and White Cap Yellow Dent.

Potatoes.—Early varieties—Roches-
ter Rose and Irish Cobbler. Medium
to late varieties—Gold Coin, Money
Maker and Carman No. 1. The later
varieties are, as a rule, more pro-
ductive than the earlier kinds.

Only one sample can be sent to
each applicant, hence if an individual
receives a sample of oats he cannot
also receive one of wheat, barley, peas,
Indian Corn or potatoes. Applications
on printed cards or sheets, or lists of
names from one individual, or appli-
cations for more than one sample for
one household, cannot be entertained.
The samples will be sent free of
charge through the mail.

Applications should be addressed to
the Dominion Cerealist, Experimental
Farm, Ottawa, and may be sent in
any time from the 1st of December
to the 15th of February, after which
the lists will be closed, so that sam-
ples asked for may be sent out in
good time. Applicants should men-
tion the variety they prefer, with a
second sort as an alternative. Appli-
cations will be filled in the order
in which they are received, so long
as the supply of seed lasts. Farmers
are advised to apply early to avoid
possible disappointment. Those ap-
plying for Indian Corn or potatoes
should bear in mind that the corn is
not usually distributed until April,
and that potatoes cannot be mailed
until danger from frost in transit is
over. No postage is required on mail
matter addressed to the Experimental
Farm, Ottawa.

WM. SAUNDERS,
Director of Experimental Farms.

Dr. H. H. Crippen was hung at Pen-
tonville prison on Wednesday last, for
the murder of his wife, Belle Elmore.

J. A. Drexel has created a new
world's record for high flying, in a
monoplane, of the Bleriot type. He
reached 9,970 feet.

The British parliament was dissolv-
ed on Monday. The first polls in the
general election will be held on Sat-
urday.

The recent student demonstrations
in St. Petersburg and Moscow, in hon-
our of the late Count Leo Tolstol,
were interrupted by the police. A
number of students were seriously in-
jured and troops have been ordered
to quell any further trouble.

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ORIGINAL POETRY

Okanagan Lake in Storm

Deep, dark, overwhelming is thy sud-
den wave.
Taking rich toll of whom thy waters
brave.
Storm beaten, in thy fury's white-
lipped rage
Can nought but human life thy
wrath assuage?
Thy thousand feet of liquid depths
defy
All search for those who on thy
bosom die.
Now in thy dark cavernous depths
they rest
By storm or toil or care no more
oppressed.
There shall they bide secure that
last dread call
That brings judgment—dead and liv-
ing—all.
When in thy peace—sun-kissed, se-
rene and still,
Reflecting fleecy-flying clouds and
pine-clad hill,
Or all thy miles of sunny orchard
slope—
Then dost thou mirror all we love
and hope—
Peace, happiness and beauty— who
would dream
That o'er such peace such instant
rage should stream.

R. H. PARKINSON.

The Nett Price of Apples

Cote Orchard, Kelowna,
Nov. 28, 1910.

To the Editor, Kelowna Courier.

Dear Sir,—
Having read in a recent issue
of your paper that a small orchard
in this district produced \$1,600 worth
of apples this year, and the grower
NETTED one dollar per box for the
same, it has occurred to me that if
the gentleman who was so fortunate
should be willing to reveal in your
columns the secret of his excellent
market, he would thereby confer a
substantial benefit on many of his
neighbours, including myself. For
my part, the best price I could get
in a local market fell considerably
short of a dollar, and I cannot have
netted more than fifty cents per box
at the outside.

Most of us like to double our
money and would be glad to get the
straight tip.

Yours truly,
R. A. PEASE.

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With the recent installation of a power wire stitcher, perforating, punching and round cornering machine, The Courier is now in a position to execute orders for this class of work, in quality equal to that from city shops. Call and see samples.

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THE KELOWNA COURIER

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AT THE COUNTRY STORE.

Three Corned Reparto Over an Order For Chicken Feed.

"Do you keep chicken feed?" inquired the customer. The grocer grinned brightly.

"No," he said; "we sell it." The customer received the shock well.

"Do you want some?" the grocer asked.

"No," said the customer; "I don't. But I guess I'll have to have it."

"What kind do you use?" asked the grocer. The customer scowled.

"I don't use it," he remarked. "I feed it to chickens."

"Oh, rats!" said the grocer. "Quit your kidding. Get down to facts. I'm busy today. You came here for chicken feed, didn't you?"

"Not much I didn't," said the customer. "I came here for a plug of tobacco. I want the chicken feed sent to the house."

"Where do your chickens live?" the grocer inquired. "I've forgotten the number." He grinned brightly again.

"They live in a chicken house," said the customer with great precision. "It's a whitewashed chicken house at the rear of 223 Johnson street. Don't trouble to knock. Just ask for Mr. Plymouth Rock." The grocer scowled in turn.

"Say," he said, "quit this foolishness. Will you? There's people waiting on me."

"What was there somebody waiting on me," said the customer. "Hurry up! Put that order down. What time will you have it there?"

"I won't have it there," explained the grocer. "I'll have it here and you'll have it there." Then the customer took a handful of crackers from a barrel and departed.—Galveston News.

The Manchu's Dogs.

At a country club near Washington some members were swapping rather "tall" stories touching the intelligence of their respective dogs when a reserved chap in the corner spoke up. Said he:

"Those are good stories, but the best story I ever heard was of Chinese origin. I'll tell it as I got it at Shanghai, where I was stationed for some time."

"A Manchu had three dogs. Returning home on one occasion, he found them on his couch of teakwood and marble. He whipped the dogs and drove them forth."

"The next evening when the Manchu came home the dogs were lying on the floor. But he placed his hands on the couch and found that it was warm from their bodies. Therefore he whipped the dogs again."

"The third night, returning home a little earlier than usual, he found the dogs sitting before the couch blowing on it to cool it!"—Pittsburg Press.

A Suggestion.

The great suffragette leader towered above the platform.

"The time has come," she shouted, "when I want my name in every feminine mouth in the country!"

"Every feminine mouth!" echoed the small boy who had sneaked in unseen. "Hully gee! Why don't yer have a new chewing gum named after yer?"—Judge's Library.

The Private View.

Lady Goldberg—Well, general, what were you and your charming daughter saying about my portrait?

Gallant General (who prides himself on his tremendous tact)—My dear lady, I make it an invariable rule on these occasions never to remark on any portrait. There is too great a chance of the original being within earshot.—New York Mail.

In Outline.

"Have you prepared the speech you are going to deliver?"

"Yes," answered Senator Sorghum; "I have taken several large sheets of paper and written 'laughter' and 'applause' at regular intervals. Now all I have to do is to fill in the stories or epigrams as needed."—Washington Star.

A Sad Story.

Parson—Have you no home?

The Hobo—Yep, I had a nice home, but the first thing I knew it had a wood pile and a garden and a pump. And den it got so much, like a steady job dat I resigned.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

At a meeting of the United Irish League, held in London, Mr. T. P. O'Connor challenged the Tories to produce a single prime minister or cabinet minister in the Canadian provinces who does not believe that the honour and safety of the British Empire demanded the concession of Home Rule.

Chicago is in the throes of a diphtheria epidemic. There are about one hundred cases at present and the number is steadily increasing.

Speaking at Boston, Dr. Edwards, a Canadian M. P., said that political union between the United States and Canada was impossible and that anything that tended to disintegrate the British Empire would endanger the peace of the world.

Speaking in London, on Friday, the 25th the Hon. Whitelaw Reid, indicated that ambassadors could exert an immense influence for the peace of the world. Diplomacy could accomplish many things that armies and navies were powerless to perform.

Premier Asquith has asserted that his party is ready for the impending battle with the Conservatives, and is bound to emerge victorious. The Unionist leaders, however, claim that they are constantly receiving into their ranks many of the more moderate Liberals.

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Material and Workmanship
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APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER OF A LIQUOR LICENSE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, at the next statutory meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Kelowna, I, John E. Wheeler, intend to apply for a transfer to Lavigne & Dunk, of my licence to sell liquor by retail in the premises known as the Royal Hotel, situated at the corner of Bernard Avenue and Abbott Street, in the City of Kelowna, B. C.

J. E. WHEELER.
Dated the 18th day of November, 1910.
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APPLICATION FOR A WHOLESALE LIQUOR LICENSE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, on the 24th day of November next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the grant of a licence for the sale of liquor by wholesale in and upon the premises known as the Kelowna Brewing Co., Ltd., situated at the West side of Okanagan Lake upon the lands described as Part of District Lot 2024, Group 1, of the Osoyoos Division of Yale District in the Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 23rd day of October, 1910.

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Applicant.

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APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF A LIQUOR LICENCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, at the next statutory meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Kelowna, I, Frank S. Coates, intend to apply for a renewal of my licence to sell liquor by retail in the premises known as the Lakeview Hotel, situated on Abbott Street, between Bernard Avenue and Lawrence Avenue, in the City of Kelowna, B. C.

FRANK S. COATES.
Dated the 14th day of November, 1910.

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SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed, "Tender for Public Building, Grand Forks, B. C.," will be received at this office until 4.00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 28, 1910, for the construction of a Public Building at Grand Forks.

Plans, specifications and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of Mr. Wm. Henderson, resident architect, Victoria, B. C., at the Post Office, Grand Forks, and at this Department.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted, the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, Nov. 24, 1910.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

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THE CHURCHES

ANGLICAN

St. Michael and All Angels' Church.
Rev. THOS. GREENE, B. A., Rector.

Holy Communion, first and third Sundays in the month at 8 a.m.; second and fourth Sundays, after Morning Prayer.

Litany on the first and third Sundays.
Morning Prayer at 11 o'clock; Evening Prayer at 7.30.

PRESBYTERIAN

Knox Presbyterian Church, Kelowna.
Morning service at 11 a.m.; evening service at 7.30 p.m. Sunday School at 2.30 p.m.

Weekly Prayer Meeting on Wednesdays, at 8 p.m.

Bennett Presbyterian Church.
Afternoon service at 3 p.m. Sunday School at 2 p.m.

Rev. A. W. K. HERDMAN, PASTOR.

METHODIST

Kelowna Methodist Church.
Sabbath services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday School at 2.30 p.m.

Epworth League meets Monday at 8 p.m. Midweek service Wednesday at 8 p.m.

Rev. J. W. DAVIDSON, B.A., B.D.,

BAPTIST

Kelowna Baptist Church, Ellice st.
Sabbath Services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sabbath School at 10 a.m. All welcome.

Y.P.S., Monday, 7.45 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7.30 p.m.

Rev. D. J. WELSH, B.D.

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MEMORIES OF DARWIN.

Ambassador James Bryce Knew Evolutionist Well.

Among the famous men whose natal year was 1809, and whose centenaries have occasioned a pouring forth of anecdote and reminiscence, Mr. James Bryce notes "four men likely to be remembered among the English-speaking races as long as English is spoken—two statesmen, Abraham Lincoln and William E. Gladstone; one poet, Alfred Tennyson; and one man of science, Charles Darwin." The British ambassador goes on to observe, in his article on Darwin in Harper's Magazine, that while "the last named of these was the one whose influence spread most widely over the whole of civilized mankind during his lifetime, and continues to be felt with undiminished force to-day," he was "the one among these four who was least known personally." Although his books and his theories were being discussed all over the world, his personality remained unfamiliar even to his own countrymen. His life was uneventful, or, as Mr. Bryce puts it, it had in it only one event, his voyage on the exploring ship Beagle. Pursuing the conventional classical education at Shrewsbury, his home town, and later at Edinburgh and Cambridge, intending to take orders in the Church of England, he began to manifest an interest in birds and insects, and became known to Prof. Henslow, an accomplished botanist and geologist, and other scientific men in Cambridge. To continue from Mr. Bryce's narrative:

He had not quite dropped the notion of taking orders when Prof. Henslow told him that Capt. Fitzroy, who was to command the Beagle on the voyage already referred to, was looking out for a naturalist to accompany the expedition. Henslow remembered his young friend, then twenty-two years of age. Darwin jumped at the proposal. Captain Fitzroy accepted him, though at first deterred by the shape of Darwin's nose, which he thought indicated a want of force of character!

The voyage lasted from 1831 till 1836. It was Darwin's education, and furnished the basis for his famous theory. The book in which he recorded his observations, and which established his reputation as a scientific student, is a delightful book, which any one, however scanty his knowledge of science, may read with pleasure even to-day, when we know so much more about the places and the subjects of which it treats. Never did five years yield a richer harvest to any man than those years to Darwin and to the world. But while they gave knowledge and brought fame, they took away health. He had been a strong man when he embarked. But the almost constant seasickness from which he suffered when the little vessel was tossing on the waves so told upon him that when he landed his nervous system was permanently weakened, and he was never thereafter the same man physically, never capable of such continuous hard mental work. In 1839 he married Miss Wedgwood, and in 1842, being in fairly easy circumstances, he bought the small estate of Down, nearly twenty miles from London, and settled himself there for the rest of his life, giving to his scientific observations and reflections all the time that his physical weakness permitted. He was tended with the most loving care by his wife and helped in his investigations by his sons, some of whom have themselves achieved high distinction in different branches of science.

It was there, at Down, that I saw him not long before his death. He was nearly six feet high, but did not look his height, having in later years contracted a slight stoop. Every one has seen engravings or photographs of him. They give a very good idea of his face, for its features were well marked; and in elderly men the expression seems to become a part of the features.

Force of the Farthing.

In the North of England the farthing is rarely seen, but in London and rural districts in the South it is plentiful.

And in a short time it will be almost a necessity, for the British Electrical Federation, which operates about 450 miles of tramways in the country, has, in order to popularize farthing fares on its lines, made arrangements with the Mint to supply two and a quarter millions of these small coins, representing £2,340,000. In the last ten years the highest issue of farthings was 8,243,200, representing twenty-three tons, in 1901, and the lowest was in 1904, when only ten tons were coined.

Before leaving the Mint, the farthings are purposely dulled, so as to prevent "ringing-the-change artists" and confidence tricksters from passing them off as half-sovereigns. Farthings are largely used by milkmen, postoffices, and those drapers who have not yet adopted the practice of offering a customer, instead of the farthing change, a paper of pins, on which there is another profit.

Ratskins.

The use of ratskins in the manufacture of fancy articles is increasing. Last year the trade in Great Britain alone amounted to \$250,000, and supplies of brown rat skins are being sought in lots of from 100 to 10,000. It is proposed to start a business in Calcutta for securing and preparing the skins of the brown rat, to be used, among a variety of purposes, in the binding of books and the making of purses, gloves and various articles for women's use and wear. The supply of rats in Calcutta is said to be inexhaustible.



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Water Notice

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V, Sec. 23, of the "Water Act," 1900, to obtain a license in the Similkameen Division of Yale District.

a.—The name of Company in full—South Kelowna Land Co., Ltd.
The head office—Kelowna, B.C.
The capital, how divided, showing amount paid up—\$250,000.00, all paid up.

b.—The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description is)—Stirling Creek.

c.—The point of diversion—a point about six miles below its source.

d.—The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second)—50.

(e) The character of the proposed works—dams, ditch and flume.

f.—The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same)—

1. N. 1/2 Sec. 24, Part S.W. 1/4 Sec. 25, W. 1/2 Sec. 23, Sec. 22, N. 1/2 Sec. 14, S.W. 1/4 Sec. 24, T. 28, NE 1/4 Sec. 31, N.W. 1/4 Sec. 28, N.E. 1/4 Sec. 29, N.W. 1/4 Sec. 35, N.E. 1/4 Sec. 34, E. 1/2 Sec. 32, N.W. 1/4 Sec. 32, W. 1/2 Sec. 33, T. 29, W. 1/2 Sec. 2, Sec. 3, Sec. 4, S.W. 1/4 Sec. 5, S.E. 1/4 Sec. 6, N. 1/2 Sec. 6, W. 1/2 Sec. 1, T. 26, 5440 acres.

g.—The purposes for which the water is to be used—Irrigation.

h.—If for irrigation, describe the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage—

1. N. 1/2 Sec. 24, Part S.W. 1/4 Sec. 25, W. 1/2 Sec. 23, Sec. 22, N. 1/2 Sec. 14, S.W. 1/4 Sec. 24, T. 28, NE 1/4 Sec. 31, N.W. 1/4 Sec. 28, N.E. 1/4 Sec. 29, N.W. 1/4 Sec. 35, N.E. 1/4 Sec. 34, E. 1/2 Sec. 32, N.W. 1/4 Sec. 32, W. 1/2 Sec. 33, T. 29, W. 1/2 Sec. 2, Sec. 3, Sec. 4, S.W. 1/4 Sec. 5, S.E. 1/4 Sec. 6, N. 1/2 Sec. 6, W. 1/2 Sec. 1, T. 26, 5440 acres.

(j) Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works—none.

k.—This notice was posted on the 17th day of November, 1910, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 24th day of December, 1910.

(l) Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet—none.

p.—Extract from memorandum of association—

2.—The objects for which the Company is established are—

d.—To develop, acquire, own and hold records of unrecorded water, and to purchase water records and water privileges, and to construct, erect, maintain and operate canals, ditches, aqueducts, raceways, flumes, weirs, wheels, feeders, laterals, reservoirs, dams, lakes, wells, buildings or other erections or works which may be required in connection with the improvements and use of the said water and water-power, or by altering, renewing, extending, improving, repairing or maintaining any such works, or any part thereof, and to conduct, carry on, and transfer water to all persons or corporations for irrigation, manufacturing, or industrial, mechanical, mining, milling, domestic or stock-raising purposes; and also to build and construct storage reservoirs for the collection and storage of water for the purposes before mentioned, with full power and authority to make contracts and agreements for the sale of permanent water works and carrying water for the purposes aforesaid.

s.—Beaver swamps on height of land near head waters of Hydraulic Creek.

t.—Dams.

u.—Depth in feet. Area in acres—

1. 0.0 11...154.7 21...544.0

2. 4.0 12...189.0 22...560.2

3. 6.0 13...257.0 23...595.1

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v.—Lease and purchase.
w.—8670 acre feet.

x.—(3) Earth dams with puddle cores.

Signature—
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c.—The point of diversion—thirty chains north of the sixteen mile post on the east line of lot 2712.

d.—The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second)—70, or 1661 acre feet.

e.—The character of the proposed works—dams, ditch and flume.

f.—The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same)—

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j.—Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works—1440 acres.

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(l) Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet—D. Gallagher, J. McClelland, A. Ash-ton, all of Kelowna, B.C.

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Want Advs.

RATES:

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Each Additional Insertion: 5 cents per line; minimum charge, 15 cents.

WANTED—To purchase, small cottage, in town, near school. State cash price to Box 261, Kelowna. 18-2
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SALE OR RENT—Snug six-room Cottage and two lots; well improved. Will sell at sacrifice.—D. D. Campbell. 17-2

SEALION TENDERS will be received up till 10th December for the renting of the skating rink for the season. Any tender not necessarily accepted.—Apply, W. HAUG. 17-2

FOR SALE—Ten young pigs.—Apply Bankhead Ranch. 16-1f

JAPANESE LABOURERS desire work by contract, jobs of clearing land or cutting wood. Apply to K. Iwasaki, Box 230, Kelowna. 16-0

WANTED—A capable girl or woman to look after infant; wages \$20 a month.—Apply, Box 392, Kelowna.

WANTED—Musk rat, mink and lynx skin, etc., highest cash prices paid; no consignment too large or small; post or call.—Okanagan Mission Supply Co., Okanagan Mission. 15-1f

FOR SALE, 10 acres improved fruit land 5 miles from Kelowna, with 450 fruit trees set out in spring of 1909. Price and terms on application to W. Shanks, Kelowna. 14-1f

MRS. DAVIES (nee Miss Blackwood) will continue to represent the Spirella Company of Canada, and will receive orders for corsets at her office over Davies & Mathie's Tailor Shop, Pender St. 11-1f

FOR SALE—10 acres fruit land, ready for planting, fenced and flumed, presently in alfalfa; price \$3,000 or \$3,250 on terms.—Apply, H. S. Rose, Hill View, Kelowna. 10-1f

MILK COWS, 4 head, 7 head young cattle, 1 yearling bull, for sale.—Apply, D. E. Gellatly, Gellatly, B.C. 9-1f

TO RENT—For two months dating from Dec. 26th, a 6-room fully furnished bungalow, electric light and city water; 10 minutes from P. O.—For particulars apply to Geo. F. James, Bernard Ave. store. No children. 16-3

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APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENCE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at the next statutory meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Kelowna I, Arthur Peabody, intend to apply for a renewal of my licence to sell liquor by retail in the premises known as the Palace Hotel, situated on the north side of Bernard Avenue, between Water St. and Pender St., in the City of Kelowna, B.C.
Dated the 14th day of November, 1910.

16-4 ARTHUR PEABODY.

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APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF A LIQUOR LICENCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at the next statutory meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Kelowna, I, John E. Wheeler, intend to apply for a renewal of my licence to sell liquor by retail in the premises known as the Royal Hotel, situated at the corner of Bernard Avenue and Abbott Street, in the City of Kelowna, B.C.
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17-3

Local and Personal News

Mr. E. M. Carruthers went to Victoria this morning.

BORN.—To the wife of Mr. J. B. Fisher, on November 30th, a son.

BORN.—To the wife of Mr. W. G. Schell, on November 30th, a daughter.

Mr. Wilfred Hince was a prisoner bound for the Old Country on Friday.

The Kelowna Land & Orchard Co. have moved into their new quarters in the Keller Block.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Featherstonhaugh left for a winter's visit to the Old Country on Saturday.

BORN.—To the wife of Mr. C. R. Stewart, at the Clifton Nursing Home, on November 30th, a daughter.

Mr. Adam Morrison, having finished his season's work with the K. L. O. Co., left for Vancouver this morning.

Capt. Estabrook, of the s.s. "Okanagan," is suffering from an attack of typhoid fever, but so far it is not of a very virulent type, and he is likely to make a speedy recovery.

We are informed that the rehearsals for the "Private Secretary" (farceical comedy) are in full swing and that the Kelowna Musical & Dramatic Society hope to produce it on the 13th and 14th of December.

Mr. J. B. Knowles is fitting up the rooms above his Jewellery store as a suite of offices for Drs. Knox and Martin, comprising a roomy office for each of the doctors and a large and comfortable waiting room.

The weather has been far from Okanagan-like during the past week, and between slushy snow, which melts soon after it falls, and rain, the roads are getting into a very sloppy condition. Better frost than this state of affairs, and winter cannot come too soon now to satisfy those who have much driving to do.

Mr. J. Gibb returned on Friday from Spokane, where he had been discharging his duties as a judge at the National Apple Show. An enormous quantity of fruit was on exhibition, some of the exhibitors having several carloads apiece, and the task of the judges was a very strenuous one. British Columbia was sparsely represented by exhibits, the Canadian National Apple Show no doubt having a marked influence in this respect. Mr. Gibb was accompanied by Mrs. Gibb, who spent a visit with relatives while he was in Spokane.

For lack of a quorum, the City Council failed to hold a session on Monday night. The Mayor and Aldermen Cox and Jones turned up and waited more or less patiently, together with the press representatives, for half an hour or so, without result. Owing to the prolonged absence of Ald. Stirling and the calls made upon his time by Ald. Harvey's profession as civil engineer and land surveyor, the bare quorum is usually the maximum attendance, and there is no reserve to draw upon. To avoid a repetition of such conditions next year, as it is difficult to secure members who can attend regularly, probably it would be advisable to increase the number of aldermen to six, and we recommend this matter to the attention of the present Council before they go out of office.

A young man named Violette, a brother of Mr. R. Violette, was brought down by the "Okanagan" from the west side of the lake near Wilson's Landing, on Friday, suffering from severe injuries caused by a large log striking him on the chest. Immediately after the accident, the steamer was seen coming south and an unsuccessful attempt was made to intercept her by a man in a row-boat. Frantic signalling by a man on shore attracted Capt. Weeks' attention, however, and the kindly skipper brought the bow of the steamer against the bank and waited half an hour for the injured man, whose life was probably saved by his action. On removal to the Kelowna Hospital, it was found that Violette's breastbone had been crushed but his injuries were not necessarily dangerous, and at last accounts he was making good progress towards recovery.

Mrs. Shaylor paid a visit to Vernon on Saturday.

Mr. Thos. Murray went to New Westminster on Monday.

Messrs. T. Kilpatrick, C. P. R. superintendent, Revelstoke, and J. P. Forde, divisional engineer, spent Tuesday afternoon in town.

City Constable MacRie took to Kamloops, on Saturday, H. E. Hatch, committed for trial on a charge of attempted blackmail.

The Ladies' Hospital Aid meets on Saturday afternoon, December 3rd, at the Presbyterian Sunday school hall, at 3 o'clock.—Con.

Mr. J. P. Clement, formerly of Kelowna, is now in business as a bookseller and stationer at 723 Pender St. West, Vancouver, near the Post Office.

We hear that the Rev. Robert Spalding is expected in town at an early date. He is hoping to meet all old friends and to make a host of new ones at the Opera House on December 13th and 14th next.

Application has been made to the Royal Humane Society, London, England, for award of their medal for life-saving to Mr. Frank Bastier, for his gallant rescue from drowning of Mr. R. Lloyd, at the danger of his own life.

Mr. G. H. E. Hudson sent last week 50 new photographs of orchard scenes to the provincial Department of Agriculture for use as cuts in government handbooks and bulletins for dissemination in the Old Country. The views chiefly comprise subjects connected with apple growing, picking and packing.

Mr. R. B. Vennart, of Vaseau Lake, spent Monday in town, while on his way north, as the guest of Mr. R. H. Parkinson. He reports great development taking place in the lower country, \$50,000 worth of real estate having been sold at Okanagan Falls within the last few weeks.

Somewhere between 1 a.m. and 3 a.m. seems now to have become the orthodox time for fire alarms, and when the Power House signal sounded on Sunday morning, at 1.15, it did not seem to give people the same shock as on the first two or three occasions. The Brigades turned out at once, but their services were not required, the fire—a slight outbreak in the Lake View Hotel—having been extinguished promptly on its discovery. The blaze was due to the carelessness of a guest, who had been smoking a cigarette in bed and flung away the stub which landed on his clothes and smouldered, causing a slow fire which destroyed his clothing, badly scorched the chair on which the clothes lay and nearly suffocated the culprit in his sleep. The guilty individual received a good "wiggling" when aroused from his heavy slumbers, and with good reason, as his carelessness might have been the cause of a very serious, if not fatal, fire.

In our report of the sad drowning accident last week there were a couple of inaccuracies due to second-hand information. We are informed by Mr. R. Lloyd, the survivor, that the rudder of the boat did not come unshipped, and that it was England, not Wardlaw, who held the sheet-ropes. Mr. Lloyd is unable to explain why the boat capsized other than that the sheet ropes jammed, out whether because England took a turn round a cleat or if it got caught in something else, he cannot say. In any event, the boat should have answered her helm and come up in the wind, and he cannot understand, even with the sheet-ropes jammed, why she refused to do so. It is interesting to learn that Mr. Lloyd was the sole survivor of the crew of the s.s. Bessarabia, of which he was second mate, when she capsized and foundered within two or three minutes, in the Bay of Biscay, due it is thought to a water ballast tank bursting. Mr. Lloyd floated for two and a half hours on a raft composed of a hen-coop and a ladder, and was unconscious when picked up by a steamer.

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OKANAGAN MISSION NOTES (From Our Own Correspondent)

On Tuesday evening last an informal meeting of a few residents was held at Dr. Wansbrough Jones' house with a view to considering the formation of some organization to further the interests of this place. It was decided to approach the Minister of Agriculture to ascertain the best means of carrying out the formation of such an association; and Dr. Wansbrough Jones kindly undertook to write to the department. On receipt of their reply it is proposed to call a further informal meeting to discuss it, with a view to calling a general meeting of all the residents in the neighbourhood.

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Mrs. Mark England and her other wish to return thanks for the many expressions of sympathy which they have received and are receiving from many friends at this sad time of their bereavement.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE

A night school will probably be established in New Westminster.

The hospital ball at Summerland yielded the handsome sum of \$205.85 nett profit.

The Canadian Fishing Co. will shortly erect, at a cost of \$150,000, the largest and most modern cold storage plant on the Pacific coast.

In a speech made at Merritt, Premier McBride declared himself as unalterably opposed to Asiatic immigration into British Columbia.

A very hearty welcome was given to the officers and men of H. M. C.S. Rainbow, when the cruiser steamed into Vancouver harbour last week.

Osborne Plunkett, second vice-president of the Conservative Association of B. C., died suddenly on Wednesday last of pneumonia.

The light and power service of the B. C. Electric Railroad Co. was interrupted at various points last week by trees falling on the wires.

A vote will be taken in the districts of Prince Rupert and Chilliwack, on the Canada Temperance Act, popularly known as the "Scott Act," on Dec. 14th.

The Vancouver Liberals have adopted a plan for the erection of a provincial headquarters in that city. The scheme involves the outlay of \$1,250,000.

A general scheme is under way to link up the islands along the coast by cable. A deep sea cable has been laid between Valdez Island and Campbell River.

A large delegation will shortly leave the Coast on a visit to Ottawa. They will lay before Sir Wilfrid Laurier projects for the improvement of the Fraser river.

The City Council of Chilliwack have decided that hereafter the streets shall receive the lion's share of all expenditures, and that all other civic improvements must wait.

A plan to link Penticton, southern Okanagan and the Similkameen, and the latter district with the Coast, is being formulated by the Kettle Valley Railway Co.

The C. N. R. have awarded a contract to the Northern Construction Co. for a section of the new line as far east as Hope, about 80 miles from New Westminster bridge. Work will start at once.

In a recent test case, Mr. Justice Clement decided that the Workmen's Compensation Act applied to foreign dependents of labourers killed in this province, as well as those residing in B. C.

Coquitlam real estate is booming and sales to the value of half a million dollars were negotiated last Thursday. The C. P. R. is alleged to be buying heavily, the land to be used as a site for the mechanical headquarters of the Pacific division.

By an adverse vote on Thursday the property-owners of Victoria rejected a by-law for providing for purchase of the Esquimalt Waterworks Co.'s holdings, and the question of Victoria water supply yet remains unsettled.

The execution of Gunner Allen for the murder of Capt. Elliston at Esquimalt, has been postponed until February, pending decision by the Court of Appeal on an application for a re-trial of the condemned man.

At Prince Rupert last week, the largest rock cut on the G. T. P. was finished. The cut is right in the centre of the town. Four hundred thousand cubic yards of rock have been cleared away to make a foundation for sidings and yards.

The Department of Agriculture has received a letter stating that the fruit recently sent from B. C. to the Motherland for show purposes, arrived in perfect condition. The packing schools instituted by the provincial government are evidently doing good work.

It is hoped to have an electric lighting plant in operation in Merritt by Christmas.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce is opening a branch at Salmon Arm.

The Ashcroft Curling Club has affiliated with the Okanagan Curling Association.

The unreviewed total of Penticton's municipal assessment amounts to \$1,071,154, nearly double that of last year, which totalled \$1,077,770.

William Bull, a commercial traveler, has mysteriously disappeared while journeying from Revelstoke to Nelson. Foul play is feared.

A number of Canadian lads have joined the cruiser Rainbow at Vancouver, and will enter on a period of training.

Alexander Lucas, the Conservative candidate, was elected without opposition on Saturday for the provincial riding of Yale.

For burying a child without previously obtaining a certificate of death, a member of the Doukhobour colony at Grand Forks was recently fined \$25.00 and costs.

Mr. J. P. McConnell, editor of the Saturday Sunset, charged with criminally libelling Mr. N. Clark, has been allowed bail at \$500. The case will be heard at the spring assizes.

A project to build a dam across the Second Narrows in Burrard Inlet, has been drawn up by Mr. A. J. Kappel, a barrister of Vancouver. Engineers endorse the scheme.

No light has yet been thrown on the recent Revelstoke Black Hand murder mystery. A portion of the outfit of the victim, Mr. F. Julian, showing the brand made by the assassins, was sent to Ottawa experts for examination, but a despatch received on Saturday last states that no evidence can be obtained by eastern experts.

Mr. Jas. C. Kennedy, the engineer employed by the Vernon city council to inspect the work done on the new waterworks system installed by Mr. A. McL. Hawks, has reported unfavourably on some of the construction, particularly in connection with the reservoir; and, as the result, the council has notified Mr. Hawks that they will not formally accept the system, pending further report by Mr. Kennedy.

In an address before the Vancouver Park Board last week, Mr. G. K. McLean, landscape architect, stated that in Stanley Park, which was really a primeval forest embracing 1,000 acres, Vancouver possessed an asset which made her unique among the cities of the world. A comprehensive scheme of development and beautification of the park was commented upon, which included the cutting of trails, the building of pavilions and a complete collection of native birds, beasts and fishes. The future Vancouver would also need greater accommodation for the increasing crowds of visitors and tourists.

The secretary and manager of the Toronto exhibition, in a communication to Mr. W. E. Scott, deputy minister of Agriculture, pays an especial high compliment to the excellence of British Columbia fruit. He says in this communication, "I beg to advise you that your exhibit has been awarded a gold medal. It was one of the finest fruit exhibits that has ever been made on this continent; no other exhibit in our provincial government's buildings attracted such attention as did yours. The number of visitors from England, who were especially directed to your exhibit, were astonished that such fruit could be produced in British Columbia."

In the 11th round of a fight which was the victor's all the way through, Owen Moran, of England, knocked out Battling Nelson, at San Francisco, on Saturday.

A despatch to Washington, D. C., states that the revolution in certain districts in Mexico has been entirely stamped out, and there is no longer any danger to tourists and citizens of other countries.

NEWS OF THE DOMINION

The Y. M. C. A. fund campaign begun in Winnipeg has been very successful and the Y. W. O. A. is also sharing in the proceeds.

The Martin, Hole & Wynne Drug Co.'s premises in Winnipeg were devastated early last week by fire, with a loss of \$215,000, partly insured.

It is rumoured that the real reason for Mr. Bourassa's trip to Europe is that he may interview the Pope on the Ontario bi-lingual school question.

The Canadian Carbon Co. will build large premises in Winnipeg shortly. The famous "Black Cap" batteries will be among the list of articles manufactured by this firm.

The charges of graft made against the Winnipeg police in connection with the recent heated discussions on the segregation evil, have been firmly repudiated by Chief of Police McRae. The investigation is not yet finished.

Bow Island, Alberta, will be the headquarters for a mammoth natural gas distribution scheme. Twenty wells will be bored and gas will be piped to Calgary and other towns. The plant will cost \$350,000.

The steamer Ireland left Fort William last week with the most valuable shipment of grain ever carried across the great lakes. Her cargo was 241,000 bushels of flax, valued at \$588,220.

Two Saskatchewan towns were visited by fire last Friday. In Midvale, two business places were burned at a loss of \$80,000, and in Carnduff, a large livery, with 18 horses and equipment was totally destroyed.

Immigration to Canada from European countries has considerably decreased lately, as the Canadian government now demands that each member of a family landing in Canada must possess at least \$50.

The C. N. R. Co. has offered to build a line to the Peace river along the route of the proposed Alberta & Great Waterways, if the Alberta government will give them five years to finish the line and bonding power of \$35,000 per mile.

It is believed that Captain Bernier, commander of the Canadian exploration ship Arctic, has found the North-West passage. A letter received by the Deputy Minister of Marine states that the explorer will try to reach Herschel Island and remain there this winter.

Apples are very scarce and dear in Montreal, and indications point to a rapid advance in prices, which should have a stimulating effect on the prairie markets. Export shipments from Montreal to date this year are hardly a third of the quantity shipped last year to the corresponding date.

The report of Sir John French on the condition of the Canadian Militia has been made public. The general states that a sound system of organization is the corner-stone of all military efficiency, and nothing can compensate for a want of it; that there is too much heavy artillery and infantry and not enough field artillery, engineers, or commissary officers, and that the proportions between the various arms of the service are not correctly adjusted. He declares that the scheme of mobilization is faulty and should be looked into, but that the physique and spirit of the officers and men are excellent.

The Canadian Naval Policy is again engrossing the attention of the Dominion House. Mr. Monk and Mr. R. L. Borden reiterate that no permanent policy should be accepted without the consent of the nation. Mr. Brodeur, Minister of Marine, dwelt on the danger of commerce being interrupted by pirates, and stated that the proposed Canadian Navy would be eminently fitted to dispose of such adversaries. (Let the Morgans and Captain Kidds of the future beware!) Mr. Borden maintained that a permanent policy should be worked out and explained to the people for their approval or disapproval.

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